

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please replace claims 1 and 10 with the following new claims:

1. A surface acoustic wave device comprising:

a piezoelectric substrate having a pair of substrate edges and an upper surface therebetween and including a main region and a bottom surface, the piezoelectric substrate having at least one inner edge arranged to contact the main region and to extend from the upper surface toward the bottom surface of the piezoelectric substrate inside one of the substrate edges;

an interdigital transducer provided on the main region of the piezoelectric substrate such that a shear horizontal type surface acoustic wave excited by the interdigital transducer and having a wavelength of  $\lambda$  are reflected by the at least one inner edge;

wherein a distance  $L$  between the at least one inner edge and the corresponding one of the substrate edges is in the range of about  $\lambda/10$  to about  $8\lambda$ .

10. A communication device comprising:

at least one surface acoustic wave device including:

a piezoelectric substrate having a pair of substrate edges and an upper surface therebetween and including a main region and a bottom surface, the piezoelectric substrate having at least one inner edge arranged to contact the main region and to extend from the upper surface toward the bottom surface of the piezoelectric substrate inside one of the substrate edges;

an interdigital transducer provided on the main region of the piezoelectric substrate such that a shear horizontal type surface acoustic wave excited by the interdigital transducer and having a wavelength of  $\lambda$  are reflected by the at least one inner edge;

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wherein a distance  $L$  between the at least one inner edge and the corresponding one of the substrate edges is in the range of about  $\lambda/10$  to about  $8\lambda$ .

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